

Câu trực tiếp, gián tiếp (P1)

I. Definition:

1. Lời nói trực tiếp:

- là sự lặp lại chính xác những từ của người nói.
- được đặt trong dấu ngoặc kép và sau động từ chính có dấu phẩy(,) hoặc dấu hai chấm(:).
- Đôi khi mệnh đề chính cũng có thể đặt sau lời nói trực tiếp.

She said: "I have never been to Paris"

2. Lời nói gián tiếp (indirect/reported speech)

- là lời tường thuật lại ý của người nói, đôi khi không cần phải dùng đúng những từ của người nói.

She said that she had never been to Paris.

He said to me: "I like your hair" → He said that he liked my hair.

He said to her "I like your hair" → He told her that he liked her hair.

II. Quy tắc chuyển trực tiếp sang gián tiếp

Muốn chuyển lời nói trực tiếp sang gián tiếp, ta cần lưu ý những điểm sau:

- Thay đổi *S* (đại từ nhân xưng làm chủ ngữ), *O* (tân ngữ), *Possessive Adjectives* (tính từ sở hữu) cho phù hợp.
- Thay đổi động từ: Thì của các động từ trong lời nói gián tiếp thay đổi theo một nguyên tắc chung là lùi về quá khứ (các thì xuống cấp)

Modal	Direct speech	Reported speech
can	"I can do it."	He said he could do it.
may	" May I go out?"	He wanted to know if he might go out.
must	"She must apply for the job."	He said that she must/had to apply for the job.
will	"They will call you."	He told her that they would call her.

Direct Speech	Reported Speech
Simple Present He said: "I am happy"	Simple Past He said that he was happy
Present Progressive	Past Progressive

He said: "I'm looking for my keys"	He said that he was looking for his keys
Simple Past He said: "I visited New York last year"	Past Perfect Simple He said that he had visited New York the previous year.
Present Perfect He said: "I've lived here for a long time "	Past Perfect He said that he had lived there for a long time
Past Perfect He said: "They had finished the work when I arrived "	Past Perfect He said that they had finished the work when he had arrived "
Past Progressive He said: "I was playing football when the accident occurred "	Past Perfect Progressive He said that he had been playing football when the accident had occurred
Present Perfect Progressive He said: "I have been playing football for two hours."	Past Perfect Progressive He said that he had been playing football for two hours
Past Perfect Progressive He said: "I had been reading a newspaper when the light went off "	Past Perfect Progressive He said that he had been reading a newspaper when the light had gone off
Future Simple (will+verb) He said: "I will open the door."	Conditional (would+verb) He said that he would open the door.
Conditional (would+verb) He said: "I would buy Mercedes if I were rich"	Conditional (would+verb) He said that he would buy Mercedes if he had been rich"

3. Thay đổi trạng từ chỉ thời gian và nơi chốn (Nếu có) (nếu V tường thuật ở quá khứ).

Direct Speech	Reported Speech
Time Expressions	
today	that day

now	then
yesterday	the day before/ the previous day
... ago	... before
last week	the week before/ The previous week
next year	the following year/ the next year
tomorrow	the next day / the following day
Place	
here	there
Demonstratives	
this	that
these	those

Ex: “I met her yesterday” he said

➔ He said that he had met her the day before.

“I’ll do it tomorrow” He promised

➔ He promised that he would do it the following day.

Chú ý: Nếu động từ dẫn ở hiện tại, chỉ cần thay đổi quy tắc 1 (đổi S, O, P.adj)

“I met her yesterday” He says.

→ He says he met her yesterday.

III. Câu hỏi trong lời nói gián tiếp.

Khi chuyển câu hỏi trực tiếp thành gián tiếp cũng cần áp dụng qui tắc chuyển đổi trên, ngoài ra cần thay đổi:

- Động từ tường thuật câu hỏi gián tiếp là *asked/ wanted to know/ wondered* (tự hỏi)
- Trật tự từ chuyển về dạng trần thuật tức là chủ ngữ đứng trước động từ và không có trợ động từ
- Không dùng liên từ “that”, dấu “?” được bỏ đi

1. Yes/No questions.

S + asked + (O) + if / whether + clause

Ex1: “Are you ready?” He asked me.

QT1: He asked me/ wanted to know **IF/WHETHER** S + V

QT2: I was ready

QT3: adv

→ He asked me/ wanted to know **IF/WHETHER** I was ready.

Ex2: “Did you go out last night?” He asked her.

→ He asked her whether she had gone out the previous night.

2. WH- Questions.

S + asked + (O) + wh - word + clause

“When will you be ready?” He asked me.

→ He asked me when I would be ready.

“When did you finish work last night?” He asked her.

→ He asked her when she had finished the previous night.

BÀI TẬP 1 (chứa trong video):

1. “Do you want to see the Cathedral?”
2. “Do you mean working on the night shifts?” She asked.
3. “Can you play any musical instrument?” The musician asked the girl.
4. “Have you ever seen an UFO?” He asked me.
5. “Did you go anywhere the day before yesterday?” The policeman asked the man.
6. “Will it be alright if I come in a little late tonight?” the aupair girl asked me.
7. “Did any of you actually see the accident happen?” The policeman asked.
8. “Are you going anywhere tomorrow night?” He asked her.

BÀI TẬP 2 (chứa trong video):

1. “who did you give the money to?” Jane asked.
2. “what did you miss most when you were in prison?” Mary asked the ex. convict

3. “How often do you go shopping?” the woman asked the girl.
4. “Why are you so late?” said the teacher “the lesson started half an hour ago”.
5. “where are you going for your holiday this summer?” He asked me.
6. “who has been using my typewriter?” said my mother.

BÀI TẬP 3 (luyện thêm)

1. “What is her name?”, Bill asked me.
2. “Why did they do that?”, he wondered.
3. He said, “Where does she live?”
4. “What time does the film begin?”
5. “Shall I wait for them or go on?”, he wondered.

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BÀI TẬP 1 (chứa trong video):

1. He asked me IF I wanted to see the Cathedral.
2. She asked me whether I meant working on the night shifts.
3. The musician asked the girl if she could play any musical instrument.
4. He asked me if I had ever seen an UFO.
5. The policeman asked the man if he had gone anywhere 2 days before.
6. The aupair girl asked me if it would be alright if she came in a little late that night.
7. The policeman asked us if any of us had seen that accident happen.
8. He asked her if/whether she was going anywhere the following night.

BÀI TẬP 2 (chứa trong video):

1. Jane asked me whom I had given the money to.
2. Mary asked the ex. convict what he had missed most when he had been in prison.
3. The woman asked the girl how often she went shopping.
4. the teacher asked him why he was so late and said that/ added that the lesson had started half an hour before.
5. He asked me where I was going for my holiday that summer.
6. My mother asked us who had been using her typewriter.

BÀI TẬP 3 (luyện thêm)

1. Bill asked me what her name was.
2. He wondered why they had done that.
3. He asked her where she lived.
4. He wanted to know what time the film began.
5. He wondered whether he should wait for them or go on.